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In re the Application of:

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For: COORDINATE INPUT DEVICE HAVING ROTATING BODIES CAPABLE OF ROTATING IN A DIRECTION NORMAL TO THE ROTATION OF A WHEEL

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT
AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: **BOX AF**

This Supplemental Amendment supplements the Amendment of June 13, 2002, which was filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2002.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please **REPLACE** claims 1-17 and 20-21 in accordance with the following:

1. (TWICE AMENDED) A coordinate input device having a wheel that can be operated through rotation, comprising:

a plurality of rotating bodies disposed along a circumferential edge of said wheel and rotatable on said circumferential edge as an axis of rotation;

rotating body rotating state detection means for detecting a rotating state of said rotating bodies;